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The Radical Convention in Richmond.
At 12 M. on Wednesday the First African Church was crowded with the members of this assembly, and spectators, both white and black.

The Convention met in pursuance of a call made by a committee appointed at the meeting which was held in Alexandria in 1866.

Mr. Hawkshurst, of Alexandria, called the assembly to order, after which the roll was read, and the election of temporary officers was gone into.

The following persons were nominated for officers of the provisional president: Dr. Thos. H. Bayne, of Norfolk, (col.) George Rye, of Shenandoah, Mr. Conley, of Louisiana, and Lewis McKenzie of Alexandria, (white.)

Mr. Conley, not being a delegate, but only a looker on, declined the honor of a nomination.

After some discursive talk, in which the white element manifested a decided disposition to monopolize, the unanimous choice fell upon Rye. He thanked the Convention for the honor they had conferred upon him, and, as his parliamentary education had been very much neglected, he hoped that any shortcomings in that line would be overlooked by his kind friends.

Mr. Whiteley, of Alexandria, was appointed as "first secretary," Mr. Fitchett, as second ditto; and Mr. Fargman, of Petersburg (colored), third ditto.

Prayer was offered up by the Rev. Mr. Williams, of Norfolk; after which the meeting, amidst a confusion of amendments to amendments attempted to nominate officers with a view of perfecting a permanent organization.

After a discussion, in which the colored element was evidently snubbed by the chairman, it was resolved to call the roll of the delegates and take a recess of one hour, in order to give the secretary an opportunity to complete the list.

After the recess, the meeting was called to order by temporary chairman Rye, and the roll of members called.

On motion of Mr. Buttz, of Norfolk, it was Resolved, That a committee of one from each delegation be appointed to nominate permanent officers of the Convention. Adopted.

Pending the discussion of the above resolution, there was quite a lively sparring between Cornelius Harris, of this city, and Jordan Smith of Chesterfield, on the one side, and the white element on the other.

The secretary, Mr. Fitchett, was politely told by a white member that he "had too much lip," and he had better attend to his own business.

The committee appointed under the resolution retired to consult. During their absence the chairman gave notice that if any one of the members wished to deliver himself of a speech, now was his chance.

Loud cries were given for Hunnicutt, Conway, and some smaller fish, but Hand-rod-the-hat evidently had the call and came first to the stand, with his head erect and his tail in the atmosphere. His harangue was very much a rehash of the various speeches which he has inflected time and again upon his followers.

Before the hat was handed around, the spouting machine of the New Nation was followed by a Mr. Conway, of New York, lately from Louisiana, and of damaged reputation.—His speech was highly inflammatory, and consisted principally in telling the negroes that they should receive from \$20 to \$30 per month as wages, and in abusing the gentlemen who spoke at the Theatre. His remarks were brought to a close by the appearance of the committee, who reported the following nominations, which were unanimously confirmed:

For President—John Hawkshurst; Vice-Presidents—Lewis McKenzie, J. W. Hunnicutt, Dr. Bayne, R. D. Beckley, W. C. Marsh, William Davis, Rev. Mr. Brackett, Willis C. Hodges, Ellis Williams and T. S. Hargob; Secretaries—J. W. Jenkins, John M. Hoge, George Fargman; Chaplain—Rev. Thomas Hanson, of Norfolk; Sergeant-at-arms—Cornelius Harris; Assistant Sergeant-at-arms—Peter Crouch.

On motion of C. W. Buttz, a committee of three was appointed to wait upon the president and inform him of his election—Messrs. Buttz, B. Wardwell and Rev. Peter Mendess.

The Convention then adjourned until yesterday at 10 o'clock.—Rich. Times.

THE MILITARY FORCE IN THE SOUTH.
The Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia Ledger says:

"An effort has been made recently to induce the President to make a large increase in the army for service in the Southern States, and in the Indian territories. Under the law the army force is increased to nearly double the present force. Mr. Johnson refuses to increase the force, believing it sufficient if judiciously managed. Besides, it is shown from numerous letters, official and private, daily received by the Administration from the South, that the people in the Southern States offer no obstruction to the execution of the laws recently passed by Congress."

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